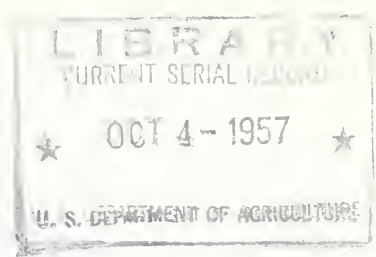


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PREFACE

United States Department of Agriculture standards for farm products are either mandatory or permissive. In some cases, a tentative standard is used, prior to the promulgation of that standard as either a mandatory or permissive one.

A mandatory standard may be defined as an official standard, the use of which is compulsory under the conditions specified by the law under which that standard is promulgated; for example, the Official Grain Standards of the United States for Wheat are compulsory under the terms of the U. S. Grain Standards Act, when such grain is shipped by grade in interstate commerce.

A permissive standard may be defined as a standard which has been worked out and recommended officially for optional use. Permissive standards are used by the USDA in such lines of work as inspection and market news. They are often adopted by states as mandatory under certain conditions.

Tentative standards are offered by the USDA for use under commercial conditions to test their practicability or as a basis for discussion. They are subject to further study and investigation before being officially recommended.

Standards listed here are permissive unless designated as tentative or mandatory.

These standards for farm products are prepared and distributed by the various divisions of the Agricultural Marketing Service. Copies may be obtained from the appropriate AMS divisions, U. S. Department of Agriculture, Washington 25, D. C.

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C H E C K L I S T O F U S D A S T A N D A R D S
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(Revised to October 1, 1957)

COTTON AND COTTONSEED

Available from the Cotton Division, AMS

Mandatory under the U. S. Cotton Standards Act and Cotton Futures Provisions
of the Internal Revenue Code of 1954:

Grade

American Upland. 1/ Latest revisions effective August 15, 1953;
August 1, 1954; and August 1, 1957. (Miscellaneous Publication
No. 310)

American-Egyptian. 1/ Latest revision effective August 1, 1957.
(Mimeographed circular)

Sea Island. 1/ Last revision effective August 10, 1939.
(Miscellaneous Publication No. 310)

Length of Staple

American Upland, American-Egyptian, and Sea Island. 1/ Latest
revision effective June 1, 1957. (Miscellaneous Publication
No. 310)

Fiber Fineness and Maturity (Micronaire Determination).
Effective January 15, 1956. (Mimeographed circular)

Cotton Linters. 1/ Latest revisions effective July 1, 1956 and
July 1, 1957. (Multilithed circular)

Tentative standards for preparation of long-staple cotton. 1/
Announced May 29, 1929. (Miscellaneous Publication No. 310)

Tentative standards (field trial basis) for grade of spotted upland cotton. 1/
Announced in Federal Register of June 18, 1953--proposed rule
making. Indefinite extension of field trial announced in Federal
Register of July 11, 1956.

1/ Information on the availability and prices of practical forms may be
obtained from the Cotton Division.

COTTON AND COTTONSEED
(continued)

Cottonseed sold or offered for sale for crushing purposes within the United States. Last revision effective July 18, 1955.
(Mimeographed circular)

DAIRY PRODUCTS

Available from the Dairy Division, AMS

Butter. Effective April 1, 1954. (Multilithed circular)
Buttermilk, Dry. Effective July 30, 1954. (Multilithed circular)
Cheese, Cheddar. Effective May 1, 1956. (Multilithed circular)
Cheese, Swiss. Effective February 5, 1953. (Multilithed circular)
Milk, Dry Whole. Effective September 4, 1954. (Multilithed circular)
Milk, Non-Fat Dry Milk Solids. Effective July 8, 1951. Amended May 8, 1953.
(Multilithed circular)
Milk, Dry, Scorched Particle Standards. Effective March 3, 1951.
(Photograph--free copies, up to 5, to colleges, State institutions, dairy industrial firms and organizations. Additional copies, \$.50 each. No paper copies available.)
Milk and Milk Products, Sediment Standards. Effective December 3, 1949.
(Photograph--free copies, up to 10, to colleges and State institutions; free copies, up to 5, to dairy industrial firms and organizations. Additional copies, \$.40 each. Paper copies available free.)
Milk, Dry. Effective July 8, 1954.

FRUITS AND VEGETABLES - FRESH
(Including Nuts)

Available from the Fresh Products Standardization and Inspection Branch, Fruit and Vegetable Division, AMS

FRUITS (Primarily for wholesale trading)

Apples. Effective August 10, 1956.
Apricots. Effective May 25, 1928.
Avocados, Florida. Effective September 3, 1957.
Cherries, Sweet. Effective May 14, 1956.
Dewberries and Blackberries. Effective February 13, 1928.
Grapes, American (Eastern Type) Bunch. Effective July 19, 1943.
Grapes, Juice (European Type). Effective July 20, 1939.
Grapes, Sawdust Pack (European Type). Effective October 19, 1953.
Grapes, Table (European or Vinifera Type). Effective July 8, 1952.
Grapefruit (California and Arizona). Effective January 9, 1950.
Grapefruit (Florida). Effective September 14, 1952.
Grapefruit (Texas). Effective November 3, 1955.
Lemons. Effective March 15, 1941.
Limes (Persian) Tahiti. Effective June 15, 1957.
Nectarines. Effective July 27, 1938.
Oranges (California and Arizona). Effective September 23, 1957.

FRUITS AND VEGETABLES - FRESH
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Oranges and Tangelos, Florida. Effective September 21, 1957.
Oranges (Texas). Effective August 23, 1954.
Peaches. Effective June 15, 1952.
Pears, Summer and Fall. Effective August 20, 1955.
Pears, Winter. Effective September 10, 1955.
Pineapples. Effective February 23, 1953.
Plums and Prunes. Effective June 5, 1948.
Raspberries. Effective May 29, 1931.
Strawberries. Effective March 23, 1942.
Tangerines. Effective September 18, 1948.
Tangerines.(Florida) Effective September 12, 1955.

FRUITS FOR PROCESSING

Apples for Processing. Effective September 2, 1946.
Berries for Processing. Effective June 2, 1947.
Blueberries for Processing. Effective August 5, 1950.
Cherries, Red Sour for Manufacturing. Effective April 20, 1941.
Cherries, Sweet for Canning or Freezing. Effective June 1, 1946.
Cherries, Sweet for Export for Sulphur Brining. Effective May 28, 1940.
Cranberries for Processing. Effective August 24, 1957.
Currants for Processing. Effective May 18, 1952.
Grapes, American (Eastern Type) Bunch for Processing and Freezing.
Effective July 5, 1943.
Peaches, Freestone for Canning. Effective April 17, 1946.
Peaches, Freestone for Freezing or Pulping. Effective April 17, 1946.
Pears for Canning. Effective June 12, 1939.
Raspberries for Processing. Effective May 18, 1952.
Strawberries, Growers' Stock for Manufacture. Effective June 1, 1935.
Strawberries, Washed and Sorted for Freezing. Effective June 1, 1935.

CONSUMER STANDARDS FOR FRUITS

Cranberries, Fresh, Consumer Standards. Effective August 7, 1956.

VEGETABLES (Primarily for wholesale trading)

Anise, Sweet. Effective December 3, 1930.
Artichokes. Effective February 10, 1926.
Asparagus. Effective February 15, 1941.
Beans, Faba (Fava) Fresh. Effective April 16, 1931.
Beans, Lima. Effective January 5, 1938.
Beans, Snap. (Supersedes Stds. for String, Wax or Green Beans) Effective August 1, 1936.
Beets. Effective August 1, 1955.
Beet Greens. Effective November 19, 1956.
Broccoli, Bunched Italian Sprouting. Effective July 12, 1943.
Brussels Sprouts. Effective January 18, 1954.
Cabbage. Effective September 1, 1945.
Cantaloups. Effective June 8, 1950.
Carrots, Bunched. Effective September 18, 1954.
Carrots, Topped. Effective July 17, 1954

FRUITS AND VEGETABLES - FRESH
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Carrots with Short-trimmed Tops. Effective September 18, 1954.
Cauliflower. Effective December 14, 1952.
Celery. Effective August 17, 1957.
Collard or Broccoli Greens. Effective April 16, 1953.
Corn, Green. Effective May 18, 1954.
Cucumbers. Effective November 13, 1953.
Cucumbers, Greenhouse. Effective October 1, 1934.
Dandelion Greens. Effective February 4, 1955.
Eggplant. Effective October 29, 1953.
Endive, Escarole or Chicory. Effective June 15, 1933.
Garlic. Effective September 4, 1944.
Honey Dew and Honey Ball Melons. Effective May 20, 1937.
Horseradish Roots. Effective July 27, 1936.
Kale. Effective April 25, 1934.
Lettuce. Effective November 27, 1954.
Lettuce, Greenhouse Leaf. Effective October 1, 1934.
Mushrooms. Effective October 1, 1928.
Mustard Greens and Turnip Greens. Effective March 8, 1953.
Okra. Effective December 18, 1928.
Onions, Bermuda. Effective March 29, 1937.
Onions, Creole. Effective April 10, 1943.
Onions, Northern Grown. Effective July 31, 1944.
Onions, Common Green. Effective June 20, 1947.
Onion Sets. Effective February 1, 1940.
Parsley. Effective July 30, 1930.
Parsnips. Effective December 10, 1945.
Peas, Fresh. Effective June 1, 1942.
Peas, Southern. Effective July 13, 1956.
Peppers, Sweet. Effective July 29, 1946.
Potatoes. Effective June 1, 1949.
Potatoes, Sweet. Effective August 2, 1948.
Radishes. Effective July 16, 1954.
Rhubarb (Field Grown). Effective March 10, 1933.
Romaine. Effective December 18, 1928.
Shallots, Bunched. Effective December 16, 1946.
Spinach Leaves (Fresh). Effective December 27, 1946.
Spinach Plants. Effective November 19, 1956.
Squash, Fall and Winter Type. Effective November 15, 1944.
Squash, Summer. Effective March 26, 1945.
Tomatoes, Fresh. Effective June 28, 1957.
Tomatoes, Greenhouse. Effective October 1, 1934
Turnips or Rutabagas. Effective August 1, 1955.
Watermelons. Effective March 22, 1954.

VEGETABLES FOR PROCESSING

Asparagus for Canning or Freezing. Effective December 22, 1937.
Beans, Lima, Shelled for Processing. Effective June 6, 1953.
Beans, Snap for Canning or Freezing. Effective March 1, 1940.
Beets for Processing. Effective December 5, 1945.

FRUITS AND VEGETABLES - FRESH

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- Broccoli for Processing. Effective April 29, 1951.
Cabbage for Processing. Effective January 17, 1944.
Carrots for Processing. Effective January 17, 1944.
Corn, Sweet for Canning. Effective February 15, 1945.
Cucumbers, Pickling. Effective December 10, 1936.
Onions for Processing. Effective January 17, 1944.
Peas for Canning or Freezing. Effective January 15, 1946.
Peppers, Sweet for Processing. Effective March 22, 1948.
Potatoes, Sweet for Dicing or Pulping. Effective July 23, 1951.
Potatoes, Sweet for Canning. Effective July 23, 1951.
Spinach for Processing. Effective July 10, 1956.
Tomatoes, Canning. Effective December 31, 1938.
Tomatoes, Italian Type for Canning. Effective May 7, 1957.
Tomatoes, for Manufacture of Strained Tomato Products. Effective March 1, 1933.
Tomatoes, Green for Processing. Effective April 15, 1950.

CONSUMER STANDARDS FOR VEGETABLES

Broccoli, Consumer Standards for Italian Sprouting. Effective Oct. 28, 1950.
Brussels Sprouts, Consumer Standards. Effective August 19, 1950.
Carrots, Fresh, Consumer Standards. Effective July 17, 1954.
Celery, Consumer Standards. Effective March 27, 1949.
Corn, Husked on the Cob, Consumer Standards. Effective May 11, 1950.
Kale, Consumer Standards. Effective August 26, 1950.
Parsnips, Fresh, Consumer Standards. Effective March 23, 1954.
Potatoes, Consumer Standards. Effective December 8, 1947.
Spinach Leaves, (Fresh), Consumer Standards. Effective May 19, 1949.
Tomatoes, Fresh, Consumer Standards. Effective October 10, 1948.
Turnips, Consumer Standards. Effective August 20, 1954.

NUTS AND SPECIAL PRODUCTS

Almonds, Shelled. Effective October 30, 1952.
Almonds, in the Shell. Effective August 23, 1951.
Asparagus Plumosus. Effective June 6, 1930.
Filberts, in the Shell. Effective September 10, 1948.
Peanuts, Farmers' Stock White Spanish. Effective October 11, 1928.
Peanuts, Shelled Spanish Type. Effective July 31, 1956.
Peanuts, Farmers' Stock Virginia Type. Effective November 1, 1934.
Peanuts, Farmers' Stock Runner. Effective September 1, 1931.
Peanuts, Shelled Runner Type. Effective July 31, 1956.
Peanuts, Shelled Virginia Type. Effective September 15, 1957.
Peanuts, Cleaned Virginia Type in the Shell. Effective September 18, 1948.
Pecans, Shelled. Effective October 19, 1952.
Pecans, in the Shell. Effective October 1, 1951.
Peonies, Cut, in the Bud. Effective April 1, 1938.
Tomato Plants. Effective January 3, 1944.
Walnuts, Shelled. Effective March 14, 1954.
Walnuts, (*Juglans regia*) in the Shell. Effective August 18, 1957.

FRUITS AND VEGETABLES - PROCESSED
(And Certain Other Products)

Available from the Processed Products Standardization and
Inspection Branch, Fruit and Vegetable Division, AMS

CANNED (and similarly processed) 2/

Apples. Effective October 17, 1953.
Apple Butter. Effective August 5, 1957.
Apple Juice. Effective June 26, 1950.
Applesauce. Effective September 18, 1950.
Apricots. Effective May 17, 1957.
Asparagus. Effective March 12, 1957.
Beans, Dried. Effective October 24, 1947.
Beans, Green and Wax. Effective March 2, 1953.
Beans, Lima. Effective July 21, 1953.
Beets. Effective February 4, 1955.
Blackberries and other similar berries. Effective December 1, 1956.
Blueberries. Effective March 20, 1951.
Carrots. Effective February 15, 1955.
Cherries, Red Sour (Tart) Pitted. Effective June 23, 1949.
Cherries, Sweet. Effective February 25, 1957.
Corn, Cream Style. Effective July 27, 1953.
Corn, Whole Kernel (or Whole Grain). Effective July 30, 1952.
Cranberry Sauce. Effective March 19, 1951.
Chili Sauce. Effective October 20, 1953.
Figs, Kadota. Effective August 16, 1957.
Fruit Cocktail. Effective August 17, 1953.
Fruit Jelly. Effective January 2, 1948.
Fruit Preserves (or Jams). Effective May 25, 1956.
Fruits for Salad. Effective April 1, 1942.
Grapefruit. Effective January 19, 1954.
Grapefruit Juice. Effective October 19, 1954.
Grapefruit Juice, Concentrated. Effective November 15, 1945.
Grapefruit and Orange Juice, Blended. Effective October 19, 1954.
Grapefruit and Orange for Salad. Effective August 7, 1950.
Grape Juice. Effective May 14, 1951.
Grapefruit Juice for Manufacturing. Effective March 20, 1957.
Lemon Juice. Effective July 1, 1941.
Mushrooms. Effective January 19, 1953.
Okra. Effective July 8, 1957.
Olives, Green. Effective June 1, 1946.
Olives, Ripe. Effective March 1, 1941.
Orange Juice. Effective March 13, 1956.

2/ In all standards in these groups, effective prior to July 1, 1957, the "Tolerances for Certification of Officially Drawn Samples" were deleted by blanket amendment in the revised "Regulations Governing Inspection and Certification of Processed Fruits and Vegetables and Related Products," effective July 1, 1957. The new procedure for ascertaining the grade of a lot based on officially drawn samples is covered in Sections 52.13 and 52.38 of the revised regulations.

FRUITS AND VEGETABLES - PROCESSED
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Orange Juice, Concentrated. Effective December 12, 1953.
Orange Juice, Concentrated for Manufacturing. Effective December 12, 1953.
Orange Marmalade. Effective June 22, 1951.
Peaches, Freestone. Effective July 22, 1957.
Peaches, Yellow Clingstone. Effective July 13, 1957.
Pears. Effective December 1, 1951.
Peas. Effective May 13, 1955.
Peas, Field and Black-eye. Effective April 17, 1950.
Pickles, Cucumber. Effective April 30, 1954.
Pimientos. Effective August 16, 1955.
Pineapple. Effective March 16, 1957.
Pineapple Juice. Effective March 16, 1957.
Plums. Effective August 19, 1952.
Potatoes, White. Effective February 10, 1950.
Prunes, Canned Dried. Effective March 1, 1946.
Pumpkin (Squash). Effective March 9, 1956.
Raspberries, Red. Effective May 15, 1940.
Sauerkraut. Effective May 10, 1957.
Spinach. Effective May 12, 1950.
Squash (Summer Type). Effective September 3, 1957.
Succotash. Effective March 15, 1944.
Sweetpotatoes. Effective July 9, 1951.
Tangerine Juice. Effective July 29, 1949.
Tangerine Juice, Concentrated for Manufacturing. Effective October 31, 1955.
Tomatoes. Effective August 1, 1946.
Tomato Catsup. Effective August 31, 1953.
Tomato Juice. Effective August 29, 1938.
Tomato Paste. Effective September 15, 1944.
Tomato Pulp. Effective January 1, 1945.
Tomato Sauce. Effective May 10, 1954.

DRIED

Apples. Effective October 24, 1955.
Apples, Dehydrated (Low-Moisture) 3/. Effective November 29, 1955.
Apricots. Effective June 1, 1945.
Currants. Effective September 1, 1956.
Dates. 3/ Effective August 26, 1955.
Figs. Effective December 27, 1955.
Grapefruit Juice (Dehydrated). 3/ Effective March 19, 1956.
Orange Juice (Dehydrated). 3/ Effective January 27, 1956.

3/ The "Tolerances for Certification of Officially Drawn Samples" in the standards for these products were deleted by blanket amendment in the revised "Regulations Governing Inspection and Certification of Processed Fruits and Vegetables and Related Products," effective July 1, 1957. The new procedure for ascertaining the grade of a lot based on officially drawn samples is covered in Sections 52.13 and 52.38 of the revised regulations.

FRUITS AND VEGETABLES - PROCESSED
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Peaches. Effective June 30, 1945.
Pears. Effective June 30, 1945.
Prunes. Effective November 26, 1956.
Raisins, Processed. Effective September 1, 1956.

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Apples. Effective May 17, 1954.
Apricots. Effective June 30, 1945.
Apricots, for Manufacturing. Effective July 1, 1946.
Asparagus. Effective April 18, 1952.
Beans, Green & Wax. Effective August 25, 1954.
Beans, Lima. Effective April 16, 1957.
Berries (Blackberries, Boysenberries, etc.) Effective August 15, 1946.
Blueberries. Effective May 7, 1955.
Broccoli. Effective August 1, 1950.
Brussels Sprouts. Effective May 11, 1951.
Carrots, Diced. Effective March 30, 1953.
Cauliflower. Effective November 12, 1951.
Cherries, Red Sour (Tart) Pitted. Effective June 18, 1949.
Cherries, Sweet. Effective June 1, 1946.
Corn-on-the-Cob. Effective August 7, 1950.
Corn, Whole Kernel (or Whole Grain). Effective August 1, 1952.
Fried Fish Sticks. Effective August 21, 1956.
Grape Juice, Concentrated Sweetened - (to become effective November 1, 1957)
Grapefruit. Effective February 20, 1948.
Grapefruit Juice, Concentrated. Effective December 28, 1956.
Grapefruit Juice and Orange Juice, Concentrated, Blended. Effective
December 10, 1951.
Leafy Greens. Effective June 13, 1952.
Lemonade, Frozen Concentrate. Effective December 19, 1953.
Limeade, Frozen Concentrate. Effective November 2, 1956.
Okra. Effective August 7, 1950.
Orange Juice, Concentrated. Effective December 1, 1955.
Peaches. Effective June 30, 1945.
Peaches for Manufacturing. Effective June 1, 1946.
Peas. Effective March 15, 1945.
Peas and Carrots. Effective March 20, 1955.
Peas, Field and Black-eye. Effective October 15, 1951.
Peppers, Sweet. Effective July 29, 1957.
Pineapple. Effective January 25, 1949.
Plums. Effective March 6, 1956.
Potatoes, French Fried. Effective November 20, 1954.
Raspberries. Effective August 16, 1948.
Rhubarb. Effective August 15, 1945.
Spinach. Effective October 26, 1951.
Squash (Cooked). Effective October 5, 1953.
Squash (Summer Type). Effective April 3, 1953.
Strawberries. Effective April 16, 1955.
Succotash. Effective July 7, 1953.

FRUITS AND VEGETABLES - PROCESSED
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Vegetables, Mixed. Effective May 24, 1954.

SUGAR PRODUCTS

Honey, Comb. Effective August 1933.
Honey, Extracted. 3/ Effective April 16, 1951.
Maple Sirup for Reprocessing. Effective February 15, 1940.
Maple Sirup, Table. Effective February 15, 1940.
Molasses, Sugarcane. 3/ Effective August 11, 1952.
Sirup, Refiners' 3/ Effective January 5, 1952.
Sirup, Sugarcane. 3/ Effective April 16, 1957.

MISCELLANEOUS PRODUCTS

Cherries, Sulfured. 3/ Effective June 12, 1951.
Olive Oil. Effective March 22, 1948.
Olives, Salt Cured. Effective November 25, 1940.
Olives, Sicilian Style. Effective November 25, 1940.
Peanut Butter. 3/ Effective September 1, 1942.
Potatoes, Peeled White (Fresh). 3/ Effective June 8, 1954.
Sauerkraut, Bulk. Effective May 27, 1935.

GRAIN, HAY, STRAW

Available from the Grain Division, AMS

Mandatory under U. S. Grain Standards Act:

Barley. Last revision effective July 1, 1956.
Corn. Last revision effective January 20, 1937.
Feed Oats and Mixed Feed Oats. Last revision effective July 1, 1935.
Flaxseed. Last revision effective July 1, 1935.
Grain Sorghums. Last revision effective July 1, 1935.
Mixed Grain. Last revision effective July 1, 1935.
Oats. Last revision effective June 1, 1947.
Rye. Last revision effective July 1, 1951.
Soybeans. Last revision effective September 1, 1955.
Wheat. Last revision effective June 15, 1957.

(Official Grain Standards of the United States, revised 1957, SRA-AMS-177)

Beans. Effective September 1, 1956. (Multilithed circular)

Hay and Straw:

Alfalfa and Alfalfa Mixed Hay. Hay
Cowpea and Cowpea Mixed Hay. Hay
Grain, Wild Oat, Vetch and Grain Mixed Hay. Hay
Grass Hay. Hay
Johnson and Johnson Mixed Hay. Hay
Lespedeza and Lespedeza Mixed Hay. Hay
Mixed Hay. Hay
Peanut and Peanut Mixed Hay. Hay
Prairie Hay. Hay

GRAIN, HAY, STRAW
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Soybean and Soybean Mixed Hay.

Timothy and Clover Hay.

Straw (Wheat, Oat, Barley, Rye and Rice).

(Handbook of Official Hay and Straw Standards, Revised,
effective July 1, 1949).

Hops, Instructions and Procedures for the Inspection of Hops.

Effective July 1, 1950. Amended July 1, 1951. (Mimeographed circular)

Lentils.

Peas, Dry.

Peas, Split.

Effective August 1, 1953. (Multilithed circular)

Rice, Brown.

Rice, Milled.

Rice, Rough.

Effective July 1, 1951. Amended May 28, 1952. (Multilithed circular)

Oilseeds. Instructions and Procedure for the Inspection of Flaxseed,
Soybeans, and other Oilseeds for Oil Content and Oil Quality.

Effective March 14, 1949. (Mimeographed circular)

Seed. (Alfalfa and Red Clover). Instructions and Procedures for Origin

Verification of Seed. Effective June 1, 1956. (Multilithed circular)

LIVESTOCK, MEATS, WOOL, MOHAIR
(Including Hides and Skins)

Available from the Livestock Division, AMS

Slaughter Cattle. Effective July 16, 1928. Last Amendment June 30, 1956.
(SRA-AMS 112, "Official United States Standards for Grades
of Slaughter Cattle.")

Vealers and Slaughter Calves. Effective July 16, 1928. Last Amendment
October 1, 1956. (SRA-AMS 113, "Official
United States Standards for Grades of Vealers
and Slaughter Calves.")

Stocker and Feeder Cattle and Calves. Tentative Standard recommended 1938.
Revised August, 1942. (Circular 505, "Market Classes and
Grades of Feeder and Stocker Cattle.") (Revision planned)

Slaughter Lambs and Sheep. Effective April 30, 1951. (SRA-FMA 168, "
"Official United States Standards for Grades of
Slaughter Lambs and Sheep.")

Swine. Effective September 12, 1952. Reissued July 5, 1955. (SRA-AMS 172,
"Official United States Standards for Grades of Slaughter Swine--
Barrows and Gilts.")

Swine. Effective September 1, 1956. (Reprinted from the Federal Register
of August 18, 1956, "Official United States Standards for Grades
of Slaughter Sows.")

Carcass Beef. Effective June 3, 1926. Reprinted, with amendments June, 1956.
(SRA-AMS 99, "Official United States Standards for Grades of Carcass
Beef.")

LIVESTOCK, MEATS, WOOL, MOHAIR
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- Veal and Calf Carcasses. Issued September 1928. Reprinted with amendments September 1956. (SRA-AMS 114, "Official United States Standards for Grades of Veal and Calf Carcasses.")
- Lamb, Yearling Mutton, and Mutton Carcasses. Effective February 16, 1931. Reprinted with amendments February 1957. (SRA-AMS 123, "Official United States Standards for Grades of Lamb, Yearling Mutton, and Mutton Carcasses.")
- Pork Carcasses. Effective September 12, 1952. Revised July 5, 1955. (SRA-AMS 171, "Official United States Standards for Grades of Pork Carcasses--Barrow and Gilt.")
- Sow Carcasses. Effective September 1, 1956. (Reprinted from the Federal Register of August 18, 1956, "Official United States Standards for Grades of Sow Carcasses.")
- Wool, Diameter of Fiber. Effective September 1, 1931. Amended November 20, 1942. (SRA-BAE 135, "Official Standards of the United States for Grades of Wool and Wool Top and Rules and Regulations for Distribution of Practical Forms of Wool and Wool Top Standards under Wool Standards Act of May 17, 1928.")
- Wool Top. Effective January 1, 1955. (Reprinted from the Federal Register of January 13, 1954.) "Official Standards of the United States for Grades of Wool Top; Distribution of Practical Forms of Standards, and Methods for Determination of Conformity with Official Standards."
- Mohair, Diameter of Fiber. Proposed Standards, effective October 13, 1950. (Federal Register, October 18, 1950. Vol. 15, No. 202. "Proposed U. S. Standards for Grades of Mohair.")
- Butcher and Country Green Salted Cattle Hides, Market Classes and Grades. Recommended 1932. (Tentative.) (Mimeographed circular)
- Green Salted Kips and Calfskins, Market Classes and Grades. Recommended 1931. (Tentative.) (Mimeographed circular.)

POULTRY AND POULTRY PRODUCTS
(Including Rabbits)

Available from the Poultry Division, AMS

- Eggs, Shell (Consumer).
- Eggs, Shell (Individual).
- Eggs, Shell (Wholesale).
- Eggs, Shell (Procurement).
- Effective July 13, 1956. (Multilithed circular)
- Poultry and Edible Products Thereof. (Regulations Governing the Grading and Inspection of Poultry and Edible Products Thereof and United States Specifications for Classes, Standards, and Grades with Respect Thereto.) Effective July 14, 1956. (Multilithed circular)
- Rabbits, Domestic, and Edible Products Thereof. (Regulations Governing the Grading and Inspection of Domestic Rabbits and Edible Products Thereof and United States Specifications for Classes, Standards, and Grades with Respect Thereto.) Effective July 1, 1951. (Multilithed circular)

TOBACCO, NAVAL STORES
Available from the Tobacco Division, AMS

Mandatory under Tobacco Stocks and Standards Act. (For reporting stocks of leaf tobacco):

Tobacco. Classification of leaf tobacco. Effective 1929. (Multilithed circular)

Mandatory under Tobacco Inspection Act:

Flue-cured Tobacco. U. S. Types 11, 12, 13, and 14. Last revision effective July 16, 1952. Amended June 27, 1957.

Fire-cured Tobacco. U. S. Types 21, 22, 23, and 24. Last revision effective November 29, 1939.

Burley Tobacco. U. S. Type 31. Last revision effective October 28, 1952.

Dark Air-cured Tobacco. U. S. Types 35, 36, and 37. Last revision effective December 5, 1944. (Multilithed circulars)

Maryland (U. S. Type 32). Last revision effective March 14, 1957. (Proposed)

Pennsylvania Seedleaf (U. S. Type 41). Issued January 11, 1951. (Tentative)

Ohio Cigar-Leaf (U. S. Types 42, 43, and 44). Issued February 20, 1951. (Tentative)

Puerto Rican Cigar-leaf (U. S. Type 46). Issued February 1, 1952. (Tentative)

Broadleaf, Sorted and Unsorted. (U. S. Type 51). Last revision effective November 8, 1951. Amended December 7, 1953. (Tentative)

Havana Seed Tobacco, Unsorted (U. S. Seed Type 52). Last revision effective November 8, 1951. Amended December 7, 1953. (Tentative)

Havana Seed Tobacco, Farmers' Packings (U. S. Types 53, 54, and 55). Last revision effective October 18, 1955. Amended November 1, 1956. (Tentative)

Connecticut Valley Shade-Grown Tobacco (U. S. Type 61). Revised December 14, 1956.

Southern Shade-Grown Tobacco. (U. S. Type 62). Revised December 14, 1956. (Multilithed circulars)

Mandatory under Naval Stores Act of 1923:

Rosin, gum or wood. Last revision effective May 1936. (SRA-PMA 170)

Rosin, tall oil. Effective November 1, 1950. (SRA-PMA 170)

Turpentine (gum spirits of turpentine, steam distilled wood turpentine, destructively distilled wood turpentine, or sulphate wood turpentine). Last revision effective December 1946. (SRA-PMA 170)

APPENDIX

ACTS OF CONGRESS MAKING STANDARDS MANDATORY UNDER CERTAIN CONDITIONS

U. S. Warehouse Act.

In storing a commodity (such as tobacco, grain, cotton, etc.) for which U. S. Standards have been officially promulgated, such official grades must be used if warehouse receipt states the grade. In the absence of such grades, the law authorizes the licensed warehousement to use official State grades, and in the absence of State grades then such other grades as the Department may approve.

U. S. Standard Container Acts of 1916 and 1928.

Regulations under this act and standards for climax baskets, berry boxes, till baskets, hampers, round stave baskets and splint or market baskets are contained in SRA-AMS 176 -- latest revision effective September, 1956.

U. S. Export Apple and Pear Act of 1933.

Rules and regulations for carrying out this act and grade requirements for apples and/or pears for export are contained in multilithed circular. Last revision effective August 8, 1947; amended October 12, 1951.

Tobacco Stocks and Standards Act. (see section under Tobacco)

Tobacco Inspection Act. (see section under Tobacco)

U. S. Cotton Standards Act. (see section under Cotton)

U. S. Cotton Futures Act. (see section under Cotton)

U. S. Grain Standards Act. (see section under Grain)

Naval Stores Act of 1923. (see section under Tobacco, Naval Stores)

